S/N 10/510,148 PATENT
Confirmation No.: 6425

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ruoxing Wang et al. Examiner: Robert A. Zeman

Serial No.: 10/510,148 Group Art Unit: 1645

Filed: October 5, 2004 Docket No.: 19725-61648 (Formerly 21285-901)

Title: PrLZ Regulatory Elements in the Treatment of Disease and the Discovery of

itle: Therapeutics

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 July 12, 2007

CUSTOMER NO. 24728

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond a Office Action mailed April 12, 2007, said period of response being extended from May 12, 2007 to July 12, 2007.

A credit card payment in the amount of \$225.00 is included herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

MORRIS, MANNING & MARTIN, LLP

July 12, 2007

Tim Tingkang Xia

Attorney for the Applicants on the Record

Reg. No.: 45,242

Morris, Manning & Martin, LLP 3343 Peachtree Road, N.E. Atlanta, Georgia 30326-1044 Telephone: 404.233.7000 Customer No. 24778